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LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP UT COMMISSION FOR CHANDIGARH
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to constitute a Union Territory Commission of Chandigarh for women;

(b) if so, the time frame for setting up the Commission;

(c) whether the National Commission for Women has made any recommendations in this regard;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH)

(a)&(b) Setting up of women commissions at the Union Territory (UT) level falls within the purview of the concerned UT Administrations.

(c),(d)&(e) During a state visit to the Chandigarh Union Territory on 15.9.2004, the National Commission for Women had taken up the issue of setting up of Chandigarh Commission for Women with the UT Administration. The Administration has agreed to proceed in this matter.